

REMARKS

The application has been amended and is believed to be in condition for allowance.

The case was previously pending with claims 1-20, claim 1 being independent. This amendment amends claims 6, 9, and 16-19 to clarify the recitations.

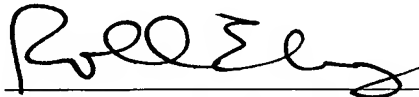
Claim 14 is amended to change a verb tense.

An indication of allowability of all the pending claims is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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